dollars, and which shall be issued after the first day of April next; nor shall it be lawful for any person to receive in payment or exchange, any such bill, note, check, draft or other evidence of debt; nor shall it be lawful for any person or persons, or Or any perassociation of persons for or on behalf of, or in anywise in connection with, or relating to the business or profits or benefits of the said business, or the person or association of persons engaged in the business aforesaid, of deposites, discounts, and issuing, or either, to pay, give, circulate or attempt to circulate as aforesaid, any such bill, note, check, draft or other evidence of debt as aforesaid.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That any person or persons, or Penalty association of persons offending against this act, shall forfeit \$50. and pay the sum of fifty dollars for each and every bill, note, check, draft, or other evidence of debt as aforesaid, given, paid, received, circulated, or attempted to be circulated as aforesaid, to be recovered in the name of the state, before a justice of the peace, one-half of the said penalty to be for the use of the informer and the other half for the use of the state.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That every bill, note, check, draft, Such notes or other evidence of debt, given, paid, received, circulated, or void. attempted to be circulated contrary to the provisions of this act. shall be deemed and taken to be null and void to all intents and purposes; Provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed Proviso. to repeal, or in any way affect an act, entitled, an act to prevent the increase of banking companies, passed in eighteen hundred and ten, chapter one hundred and eight.

CHAPTER 321.

An additional Supplement to the Act,* entitled, an Act directing the *1713, ch. manner of suing out Attachments in this Province, and limiting the extent of them.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, Attach-That it shall and may be lawful for any plaintiff in attachment, ments may be laid to have the same laid upon debts due the defendant upon judg- upon debts, ments or decrees, rendered or passed by any of the courts of judgments law or equity of this state, and to have judgment of condemnation thereof, as upon any other debts due said defendant.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the execution may, on appli- Execution cation of any party to the court, rendering such judgment or notwithdecree, be issued by such court for enforcing the payment or may issue. satisfaction thereof, notwithstanding the attachment aforesaid; Provided, that the moneys payable under said judgment or Money to decree, be in the writ of execution aforesaid, required to be be brought brought into the court aforesaid, to be by such court preserved await deciand deposited or invested in stocks, as it may direct, to abide sion. the event of such proceeding of attachment aforesaid.